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Examiner: na Art Unit: na

Serial No.: Filing Date:

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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed July 22, 2004, and relating to completion of the above-identified application, transmitted herewith are:

- 1. a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application;
- 2. a Fee Transmittal for FY 2004 authorizing the Commissioner to charge the \$130.00 declaration surcharge, \$40.00 Assignment recordation fee, and \$420.00 for two month extension of time to Deposit Account No. 22-0259 in the name of Vedder, Price, Kaufman & Kammholz, P.C.;
  - 3. a Declaration signed by all inventors in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §1.16(e); and
  - 4. an Assignment and Recordation Form Cover sheet.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required in this Application under 37 C.F.R. §1.16-1.17 during the entire pendency, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 22-0259.

Respectfully submitted,

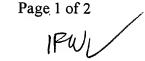
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